IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI DELTA DIVISION

ROBERT ANTHONY HUBBARD

PLAINTIFF

v. No. 2:12CV96-B-V

BOLIVAR COUNTY CORRECTIONAL FACILITY, ET AL.

DEFENDANTS

MEMORANDUM OPINION

This matter comes before the court on the *pro se* prisoner complaint of Robert Anthony Hubbard, who challenges the conditions of his confinement under 42 U.S.C. § 1983. For the purposes of the Prison Litigation Reform Act, the court notes that the plaintiff was incarcerated when he filed this suit.

Factual Allegations

Hubbard alleges that defendant Sgt. Reynolds failed to secure Hubbard's locker when he was placed in lockdown, leading to the theft of Hubbard's belongings.

Discussion

Negligent conduct by prison officials does not rise to the level of a constitutional violation. *Daniels v. Williams*, 474 U.S. 327, 106 S.Ct. 662 (1986); *Davidson v. Cannon*, 474 U.S. 344, 106 S.Ct. 668 (1986). The plaintiff's allegations sound only in negligence and will thus be dismissed for failure to state a claim upon which relief could be granted. A final judgment consistent with this memorandum opinion shall issue today.

SO ORDERED, this the 20th day of June, 2012.

/s/ Neal Biggers

NEAL B. BIGGERS, JR. UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE